



State Senator

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Legislative Update

The following bills were introduced this week. Should you wish to learn more about the proposed legislation, please visit www.michiganlegislature.org and enter the bill number where indicated. The web-site will provide you with the bill's language as introduced and an analysis describing how the bill will affect area industry, the economy and consumers.

Senator Garcia is eager to learn how you feel about proposed legislation. He welcomes your responses via e-mail at senvgarcia@senate.michigan.gov.

BREAKING NEWS FROM SENATOR GARCIA'S OFFICE

A Legislative Bulletin for Residents of the 22nd District

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| SB 1186 | INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS (Leland)
Provides for penalty of 93 days' imprisonment, a \$10,000 fine or both for a contractor who knowingly coerces or assists a person earning wages to falsely declare himself or herself to be an independent contractor. |
| SB 1187 | CARPENTER CONTRACTOR LICENSURE (Leland)
Provides licensure of carpenter contractors and journey carpenters. |
| SB 1188 | GAS TAX COLLECTION FEE (Leland)
Eliminates provision in the Motor Fuel Tax Act for computing the motor fuel tax which makes an allowance for withholding 1.5 percent of tax as a collection fee. |
| SB 1189 | SCHOOL NUTRITION POLICY (Bernero)
Requires public school to adopt and implement a school nutrition policy by April 1, 2005; requires other measures regarding school nutrition. |
| SB 1190 | NURSE ACUITY PLAN (Patterson)
Requires hospitals to develop an acuity system and staffing plan for nurses. |
| SB 1191 | BOXING EVENT NURSE (Patterson)
Provides for certified nurse practitioner and physician's assistant participation in a boxing event. |
| SB 1192 | REGISTRATION PLATE LATE FEES (Jelinek)
Provides for waiver of late fee assessed on the registration plates of a vehicle that is insured only for comprehensive damage. |
| SB 1193 | 2005 SCHOOL AID BUDGET (Johnson) Provides for multisection school aid zero budget for fiscal year 2004-2005. |
| SB 1194 | 2005 SCHOOL AID BUDGET (Johnson) Provides for multisection school aid zero budget for fiscal year 2004-2005. |
| SB 1195 | PUBLIC PARTICIPATION LAWSUITS (Brater) Limits strategic lawsuits against public participation. |

SB 1196	ABORTION INSURANCE COVERAGE (Gilbert) Amends the insurance code of 1956 to provide health insurance coverage for elective abortions by optional rider only.
SB 1197	ABORTION INSURANCE COVERAGE (Birkholz) Provides for Blue Cross Blue Shield coverage for elective abortions by optional rider only.
SB 1198	ABORTION BILLING (Sanborn) Provides that billing for services performed in connection with an elective abortion may only be sought from an optional rider under the Insurance Code of 1956 or from Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan.
SB 1199	COMMERCE CENTERS (Allen) Creates commerce centers in cities, villages or townships with greater than 400,000 residents.
SB 1200	DENIED PERMIT APPEAL (Cropsey) Provides for direct appeal to a construction board of appeals for a denied construction permit.
SB 1201	JOINT DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT (McManus) Provides a procedure to form a joint downtown development authority between a municipality that has created an authority and an adjoining municipality that has also created an authority.
SB 1202	HISTORICAL NEIGHBORHOOD TAX AUTHORITY (Hardiman) Creates a historical neighborhood tax increment finance authority.
SB 1203	DOWNTOWN PARKING VIOLATIONS (Gilbert) Allows a parking violations bureau to be operated by the municipality's downtown development authority.
SB 1204	GARAGE RENTAL TAX CREDIT (Birkholz) Provides income tax credit to homeowners who rent out housing accommodations above their garage.
SB 1205	THIRD PARTY CONSTRUCTION INSPECTION (Kuipers) Allows for third party construction inspections if an investigation is not performed in 30 days by the enforcing agency in charge of circumstances regarding the request for an inspection.
SB 1206	HOUSING INSPECTION ORDINANCE (VanWoerkom) Revises housing inspection ordinance provisions in the Neighborhood Enterprise Zone Act.
SB 1207	ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT DEADLINE (McManus) Amends the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act to impose deadlines on the issuance of environmental protection permits.
SB 1208	DAIRY PERMIT DEADLINE (Stamas) Amends the Grade "A" Milk Law of 2001 require the issuance of certain agricultural business permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1209	MOTOR FUEL PERMIT DEADLINE (Jelinek) Amends the Motor Fuel Quality Act require the issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1210	PESTICIDE PERMIT DEADLINE (Brown) Amends The Insect Pest and Plant Disease Act to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1211	LIVESTOCK DEALER PERMIT DEADLINE (VanWoerkom) Requires the issuance of certain permits and licenses involving livestock dealers, brokers or agents within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1212	GRAIN DEALER LICENSE DEADLINE (VanWoerkom) Amends the Grain Dealers Act to require processing of applications for issuance of grain dealer licenses in 30 days.
SB 1213	HORSE RACING PERMIT DEADLINE (Hammerstrom) Enacts time limit of six months for issuance of track horse racing licenses and permits; provides penalty of reduction of permit fee by 15 percent for failure by the racing commission to comply.
SB 1214	PET SHOP LICENSE DEADLINE (Cassis) Limits the process for issuance of certain pet shop licenses to six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1215	ADULT FOSTER CARE PERMIT DEADLINE (Hammerstrom) Amends the Adult Foster Care Facility Licensing Act to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within 180 days; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1216	MENTAL HEALTH LICENSE DEADLINE (George) Amends the mental health code to require issuance of certain mental health permits and licenses within 180 days; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1217	HEALTH FACILITY PERMIT DEADLINE (George) Amends the public health code to require issuance of certain health facility permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.

SB 1218	FOOD PERMIT DEADLINE (Allen) Amends the Food Law of 2000 to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1219	MILK MANUFACTURING PERMIT DEADLINE (Stamas) Amends the Manufacturing Milk Law of 2001 to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1220	LOTTERY PERMIT DEADLINE (Johnson) Enacts time limit of six months for issuance of lottery permits; provides penalties for failure to comply.
SB 1221	CONSTRUCTION PERMIT DEADLINE (Sanborn) Requires issuance of certain construction permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1222	PRIVATE DETECTIVE LICENSE DEADLINE (Sanborn) Amends the Private Detective License Act to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1223	ASBESTOS ABATEMENT PERMIT DEADLINE (Sikkema) Amends the Asbestos Abatement Contractors Licensing Act to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within 60 days; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1224	ASBESTOS PERMIT DEADLINE (Gilbert) Amends the Asbestos Workers Accreditation Act to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within 60 days; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1225	LIE DETECTOR PERMIT DEADLINE (Gilbert) Amends the Forensic Polygraph Examiners Act to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1226	LIQUOR LICENSE DEADLINE (Bishop) Amends the Michigan liquor control code of 1998 to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1227	PLUMBER PERMIT DEADLINE (Hardiman) Amends the State Plumbing Act to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1228	CHILD CARE PERMIT DEADLINE (Thomas) Requires issuance of certain child care permits and licenses within 180 days; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1229	CONSTRUCTION PERMIT DEADLINE (Toy) Requires issuance of certain construction permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1230	STATE LICENSE FEES (Toy) Amends the State License Fee Act to include issuance of certain registrations and licenses in reference to discount and refund language.
SB 1231	OCCUPATION LICENSE DEADLINE (Toy) Amends the occupational code to require issuance of certain registrations and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1232	MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR LICENSE DEADLINE (Kuipers) Amends the Forbes Mechanical Contractors Act to require issuance of certain licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1233	ELECTRICIAN LICENSE DEADLINE (Cropsey) Amends the Electrical Administrative Act to require issuance of certain electrician contractor licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1234	BOILER LICENSE DEADLINE (Patterson) Amends the Boiler Act of 1965 to require issuance of certain permits and licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1235	SECURITY GUARD LICENSE DEADLINE (Garcia) Requires issuance of certain security guard licenses within six months; expands the process to include discount and refund language.
SB 1236	AUTO FINANCE LICENSE DEADLINE (Birkholz) Amends the Motor Vehicle Sales Finance Act to require issuance of licenses within six months.
SB 1237	AMATEUR RADIO ANTENNAE ZONING (Schauer) Restricts zoning of amateur radio antennae to regulations of the Federal Communications Commission in a city or village.
SB 1238	AMATEUR RADIO ANTENNAE ZONING (Schauer) Restricts zoning of amateur radio antennae to regulations of the Federal Communications Commission in a county. Amends PA 183, 1943 (CL 125.201-125.240); adds Sec. 1b
SB 1239	AMATEUR RADIO ANTENNAE ZONING (Schauer) Restricts zoning of amateur radio antennae to regulations of the Federal Communications Commission in a township.

SB 1240	WIRELESS INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDS (George) Expands uses for downtown development authorities' levied funds to include wireless infrastructure and marketing initiatives.
SB 1241	NEIGHBORHOOD IMPROVEMENT AUTHORITY (Barcia) Provides economic development tax increment financing for neighborhood improvement authority.
SB 1242	PLANT REHABILITATION CREDIT (Toy) Allows mixed use tax credit for plant rehabilitation.
SB 1243	PURPLE HEART TRAIL (Brown) Designates portion of Highway I-69 in Branch County as the "Purple Heart Trail."
SR 258	SAFE BOATING WEEK (Basham) Names May 22-28, 2004 as Safe Boating Week.
SR 259	ELECTRICITY RELIABILITY STANDARDS (Olshove) Urges Congress to enact legislation mandating electricity reliability standards and rules.
SR 260	AUTO MARKET NEGOTIATIONS (Brater) Urges the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative not to negotiate access to segments of the American automotive market on a piecemeal basis through a bilateral trade agreement with Thailand, but as part of comprehensive, multi-lateral negotiations with all major automobile-producing nations.
SR 261	CERVICAL CANCER TASK FORCE (Hammerstrom) Urges the governor to appoint a task force on cervical cancer awareness in Michigan.
SCR 45	ELECTRICITY RELIABILITY STANDARDS (Olshove) Urges Congress to enact legislation mandating electricity reliability standards and rules.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

HOUSE

House Committee	Appropriations: Natural Resources and Environmental Quality
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-8080
Location	521 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date	Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time	9:00 AM
Agenda	SB 1066 (Johnson) Appropriations; zero budget; department of environmental quality; provide for fiscal year 2004-2005.
Chair	Representative John R Pastor
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House Committee	Judiciary
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-7256
Location	308 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date	Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time	9:00 AM
Agenda	HB 5338 (Howell) Civil procedure; other; procedure for affidavit of merit for medical malpractice; revise. (There will be a substitute similar to HB 5905.)
	HB 5905 (Howell) Torts; malpractice; relation back of amended affidavit of meritorious defense in medical malpractice action; allow only with showing of good cause.
	HB 5311 (Hune) Civil procedure; evidence; introduction of evidence of an expression of sympathy as an admission of liability in a civil action; prohibit.
	HB 5494 (Julian) State; historic sites; law enforcement memorial monument; create.

Chair Representative Jim Howell

House Committee Local Government and Urban Policy
Clerk Phone Number 517-373-2013
Location 307 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time 9:00 AM
Agenda HB 4106 (Jamnick) Taxation; state real estate transfer; transfer tax on transfer of certain manufactured homes; provide for.

HB 4879 (Richardville) Sales tax; exemptions; sales tax on used manufactured homes; provide for exemption.

HB 4882 (Richardville) Use tax; exemptions; use tax on manufactured home sales; eliminate.

HB 5098 (Milosch) Taxation; mobile homes; trailer coach tax; limit application and prospectively repeal.

HB 4880 (Richardville) Mobile homes; other; manufactured housing specific tax; create and implement.

HB 5844 (Richardville) Income tax; property tax credit; Michigan manufactured housing specific tax paid; include for homestead property tax credit calculation.

HB 4111 (Jamnick) Property tax; other; manufactured housing subject to specific tax; exempt.

HB 4868 (Jamnick) Mobile homes; owners rights; manufactured home owners residency act; create.

HB 4869 (Jamnick) Mobile homes; owners rights; manufactured home owners association act; establish and clarify rights.

HB 5035 (Milosch) Mobile homes; other; mobile home commission; revise membership.

Chair Representative Chris Ward

House Committee Commerce
Clerk Phone Number 517-373-5632
Location 519 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time 10:30 AM
Agenda TO BE DETERMINED
Chair Representative Clark Bisbee

House Committee Health Policy
Clerk Phone Number 517-373-5795
Location 521 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time 10:30 AM
Agenda SB 724 (George) Health; death; county medical examiners investigative duties regarding death of an individual while under hospice care; clarify.

HB 5078 (Hardman) Occupations; physicians; performance of needle electromyography and the performance and interpretation of nerve conduction studies; include in definition of practice of medicine and clarify who is authorized to perform.

HB 5328 (Gaffney) Health; pharmaceuticals; quality assurance program for the reporting and prevention of prescription errors; provide for.

HB 5549 (Gaffney) Health; pharmaceuticals; requirements for handwritten prescriptions; provide for.

Chair Representative Stephen R Ehardt

House Committee Appropriations
Clerk Phone Number 517-373-1260

Location House Appropriations Committee Room, 3rd Floor, State Capitol Building
Date Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time 1:15 PM or after committees are given leave by the House to meet, whichever time is later.
Agenda SB 1167 (Hammerstrom) Criminal procedure; sex offender registration; registration fee for registrant on the public sex offender registry; assess.

HCR 54 (Shackleton) A concurrent resolution approving the conveyance of property to the State Building Authority and approving a lease between the State of Michigan and the State Building Authority relative to the Department of Management and Budget Capitol Complex Renovations.
Chair Representative Marc Shulman

House Committee Government Operations
Clerk Phone Number 517-373-5795
Location 326 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time 2:00 PM or after committees are given leave by the House to meet, whichever time is later.
Agenda HB 5025 (Ruth Johnson) Civil rights; public records; charging a fee for separating exempt from nonexempt information if other means are available; prohibit.

HB 5852 (Ruth Johnson) Public employees and officers; penalties for public employees who knowingly withhold information available under freedom of information act; provide for.

HB 4231 (Koetje) Vehicles; abandoned; procedure for court officer involvement regarding the sale of abandoned vehicles; provide for.

HB 5845 (Julian) Gaming; casinos; withholding on casino winnings; provide for.

HB 5896 (Taub) Gaming; lottery; time limits for issuance of licenses and penalties for failure to comply; enact.

HB 5881 (Julian) Gaming; horse racing; time limits for issuance of certain licenses and penalties for failure to comply; enact.
Chair Representative James L Koetje

House Committee Appropriations: School Aid (K12)/Department of Education
Clerk Phone Number 517-373-8080
Location 426 State Capitol Building
Date Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time 9:00 AM
Agenda SB 1065 (Johnson) Appropriations; zero budget; department of education; provide for fiscal year 2004-2005.

-Decision-making
-Public Testimony
Chair Representative John Moolenaar

House Committee Energy and Technology
Clerk Phone Number 517-373-8538
Location 519 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time 9:00 AM
Agenda HB 5798 (Rivet) Income tax; home heating credit; refund requirement for certain energy bills; revise.
Chair Representative Ken Bradstreet

House Committee Tax Policy
Clerk Phone Number 517-373-0070
Location 326 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date Wednesday, 5/19/2004

Time	9:00 AM
Agenda	<p>HB 4357 (Gaffney) Income tax; credit; credit for contribution to charitable organizations to benefit K-12 education; establish.</p> <p>HB 5669 (Gaffney) Income tax; credit; contributions to a historical museum; provide for credit.</p> <p>HB 5823 (Wenke) Property tax; exemptions; property designated as innovations center in a smart park; provide exemption.</p> <p>HB 5824 (Wenke) Property tax; exemptions; property owned by a tenant in a designated innovations center in a smart park; provide exemption.</p>
Chair	Representative Lorence Wenke
House Committee	Appropriations: Higher Education
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-8080
Location	House Appropriations Committee Room, 3rd Floor, State Capitol Building
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	10:30 AM
Agenda	<p>SB 1067 (Johnson) Appropriations; zero budget; higher education; provide for fiscal year 2004-2005.</p> <p>- Decision making</p> <p>- Report bill</p>
Chair	Representative Sandra Caul
House Committee	Commerce
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-5632
Location	519 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	10:30 AM
Agenda	TO BE DETERMINED
Chair	Representative Clark Bisbee
House Committee	Conservation and Outdoor Recreation
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-2013
Location	307 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	10:30 AM
Agenda	PRESENTATION:
Chair	<p>Department of Natural Resources Land Review Strategy</p> <p>Representative Susan Tabor</p>
House Committee	Criminal Justice
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-7256
Location	327 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	10:30 AM
Agenda	<p>SB 1009 (Cropsey) Crimes; definitions; definition of false pretense; clarify.</p> <p>HB 5820 (Lipsey) Crimes; penalties; penalties for reckless driving; increase.</p> <p>SB 912 (Sanborn) Criminal procedure; sentencing guidelines; sentencing guidelines for crime of reproducing, altering, counterfeiting, forging, or duplicating Michigan personal identification card; enact.</p> <p>SB 913 (McManus) State; identification cards; reproducing, altering, counterfeiting, forging, or duplicating Michigan personal identification card; increase penalties.</p> <p>HB 5906 (Van Regenmorter) Law enforcement; other; law enforcement agencies; allow certain public bodies to create.</p>

HB 5907 (Van Regenmorter) Law enforcement; other; jurisdiction of commission on law enforcement standards; extend to law enforcement officers of multicounty metropolitan districts.	
Chair	Representative William Van Regenmorter
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House Committee	Insurance
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-5795
Location	521 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	10:30 AM
Agenda	Commissioner Linda Watters, Office of Financial and Insurance Services - Credit Scoring
HB 5803 (Middaugh) Insurance; essential; use of credit information and credit scoring; regulate.	
Chair	Representative Larry Julian
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House Committee	Appropriations: Community Colleges
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-8080
Location	House Appropriations Committee Room, 3rd Floor, State Capitol Building
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	2:00 PM or after committees are given leave by the House to meet, whichever time is later.
Agenda	SB 1062 (Johnson) Appropriations; zero budget; community and junior colleges; provide for fiscal year 2004-2005.
Chair	Representative Bruce Caswell
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House Committee	Land Use and Environment
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-5632
Location	326 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	2:00 PM or after committees are given leave by the House to meet, whichever time is later.
Agenda	HB 5771 (Ruth Johnson) Environmental protection; sewage; septage program fees; increase and revise regulation of land disposal of septage.
HB 5772 (Ruth Johnson) Environmental protection; sewage; sentencing guidelines for crime of knowingly making false report in domestic septage licensing application; enact.	
Chair	Representative Ruth Johnson
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House Committee	Appropriations: State Police and Military and Veterans Affairs, Joint Meeting with Senate Appropriations: State Police and Military and Veterans Affairs
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-8080
Location	Senate Hearing Room, 1st Floor, Boji Tower, 124 W. Allegan, Lansing
Date	Thursday, 5/20/2004
Time	8:30 AM
Agenda	Homeland Security in Michigan
Chair	Representative Sandra Caul
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House Committee	Transportation
Clerk Phone Number	517-373-8538
Location	307 House Office Building, Lansing, MI
Date	Thursday, 5/20/2004
Time	9:00 AM
Agenda	Presentation regarding US-12 Historic Heritage Route Committee
For purposes of re-referral to the Standing Committee on Appropriations: HB 5762 (Shackleton) Transportation; funds; approval requirement for 5-year plan; provide for.	

HB 5230 (LaJoy) Transportation; funds; contract for preservation of county local road system within townships; eliminate county population limitation and revise township population figure.

HB 5008 (Huizenga) Vehicles; registration; registration of motorcycle license plate to expire on individuals birthday; require.

SB 1160 (McManus) Highways; name; renaming of a portion of US-127; designate as the Kevin Sherwood Memorial Highway.

SB 1179 (Kuipers) Highways; name; certain bridge by US-31 in Grand Haven; designate as the Memorial Bridge.

Chair Representative Gene DeRossett

SENATE

Senate Committee	Appropriations: Transportation
Clerk Phone Number	373-2523
Location	Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building, 100 S. Capitol Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time	1:00 PM
Agenda	HB 5528 (Shulman) Appropriations; zero budget; department of transportation; provide for fiscal year 2004-2005.

Chair Senator Shirley Johnson

Senate Committee	Judiciary
Clerk Phone Number	373-3760
Location	Room 210, Farnum Building, 125 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time	1:00 PM
Agenda	HB 5347 (Nofs) Crimes; penalties; operation of audiovisual recording function of a device in motion picture exhibition facilities; prohibit and prescribe penalties. HB 5336 (Stakoe) Criminal procedure; sentencing guidelines; sentencing guidelines for crime of audio visual recording in a motion picture facility; enact. HB 5381 (LaSata) Liens; other; a judgment lien; provide for. HB 5589 (Sheen) Children; services; requirement for child protective services workers to provide certain identifying information during a child protective services investigation; establish.

Chair Senator Alan L Cropsey

Senate Committee	Appropriations: State Police & Military Affairs
Clerk Phone Number	373-5932
Location	Room 405, Capitol Building, 100 S. Capitol Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time	3:00 PM
Agenda	Discussion/Subcommittee Decisions on Budget Recommendations for Departments of State Police and Military and Veterans Affairs for FY 2004-05

Chair Senator Cameron Brown

Senate Committee	Commerce & Labor
Clerk Phone Number	373-2413
Location	Room 100, Farnum Building, 125 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time	3:00 PM

Agenda	Presentation by Central Michigan University on technology initiatives.
Chair	Presentation by Michigan Small Tech Association on Michigan's small tech industry. Senator Jason Allen
Senate Committee	Appropriations: Judiciary & Corrections
Clerk Phone Number	373-3760
Location	Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower, 124 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time	3:30 PM
Agenda	Decisions on the FY 2004-05 Budget for the Judiciary
Chair	Senator Alan L Cropsey
Senate Committee	Appropriations: General Government
Clerk Phone Number	373-2420
Location	Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building, 100 S. Capitol Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Tuesday, 5/18/2004
Time	2:30 P.M.
Agenda	FY 2004-05 Subcommittee Recommendation
Chair	Senator Valde Garcia
Senate Committee	Health Policy
Clerk Phone Number	373-3543
Location	Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower, 124 W. Allegan St., Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	1:00 PM
Agenda	<p>SB 908 (Jelinek) Health; pharmaceuticals; dispensing a prescription for a controlled substance written and signed by a licensed physician of that state; expand to include Illinois.</p> <p>SB 1191 (Patterson) Occupations; licensing fees; certified nurse practitioner and physician's assistant participation in a boxing event; provide for.</p> <p>HB 5225 (Condino) Health; death; rules and regulations for medical examiners when conducting an autopsy to determine the cause of an infant death; require department of community health to promulgate.</p> <p>Testimony Only:</p> <p>SB 1150 (Hardiman) Insurance; health maintenance organizations; requirement for benefit plan offered by a health maintenance organization to include basic health services; eliminate but require preventive health services.</p>
Chair	Senator Beverly S Hammerstrom
Senate Committee	Senior Citizens & Veterans Affairs
Clerk Phone Number	373-1707
Location	Room 100, Farnum Building, 125 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	1:00 PM
Agenda	<p>SR 248 (Brown) A resolution honoring the 60th Anniversary of D-Day and the Allied invasion of Europe.</p> <p>SCR 30 (Stamas) A concurrent resolution to urge the United States Department of Homeland Security to locate its Midwest regional training facility in Alpena and Grayling, Michigan.</p> <p>SCR 43 (Goschka) A concurrent resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to prohibit the closure of the Aleda E. Lutz Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Saginaw.</p>
Chair	Senator Laura Toy

Senate Committee	Appropriations: Commerce, Labor & Economic Development
Clerk Phone Number	3732420
Location	Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building, 100 S. Capitol Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Wednesday, 5/19/2004
Time	3:00 PM
Agenda	HB 5521 (Shulman) Appropriations; zero budget; department of labor and economic growth; provide for fiscal year 2004-2005.
Chair	Senator Valde Garcia
Senate Committee	Appropriations: Family Independence Agency
Clerk Phone Number	373-1801
Location	Room 210, Farnum Building, 125 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Thursday, 5/20/2004
Time	8:00 AM
Agenda	Subcommittee Decisions
Chair	Senator Bill Hardiman
Senate Committee	Appropriations: State Police & Military Affairs/Joint Senate & House
Clerk Phone Number	373-5932
Location	Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower, 124 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Thursday, 5/20/2004 Canceled
Time	8:30 AM Canceled
Agenda	Homeland Security in Michigan. Captain John Ort, Director of the Emergency Management Division of the Department of State Police will continue discussions and field questions on Homeland Security grants and programs in the state from the meeting of April 29, 2004.
Chair	Senator Cameron Brown
Senate Committee	Appropriations: Agriculture
Clerk Phone Number	373-5932
Location	Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building, 100 S. Capitol Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Thursday, 5/20/2004
Time	1:00 PM
Agenda	HB 5509 (Shulman) Appropriations; zero budget; department of agriculture; provide for fiscal year 2004-2005.
Chair	Senator Cameron Brown
Senate Committee	Local, Urban & State Affairs
Clerk Phone Number	373-1707
Location	Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower, 124 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933
Date	Thursday, 5/20/2004
Time	1:00 PM
Agenda	Testimony Only: SB 740 (Birkholz) State; symbol; Kirtland's warbler; establish as the state bird.
Chair	Senator Laura Toy